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SUBJECT: NETO COMMENTS ON SITUATION IN ANGOLA AND ON ANGOLA-
ZAIRE RELATIONS

1. FOLLOWING CONCLUSION OF FRONT LINE PRESIDENTS
MEETING IN BEIRA ON MARCH 15, ANGOLAN PRESIDENT
AGOSTINHO NETO DISCUSSED SITUATION IN ANGOLA
AND ANGOLAN-ZAIRIAN RELATIONS WITH LOCAL JOURNALIST.
NETO ACCUSED THE "IMPERIALIST" OF CONTINUING THEIR
ATTEMPT TO SABOTAGE THE ANGOLAN REVOLUTION BY IN-
FILTRATING BANDS OF ARMED MEN INTO ANGOLA FROM ACCROSS
ITS NORTHERN AND SOUTHERN BORDERS. THESE FORCES,
HE SAID, WERE NOT ATTACKING ANGOLAN MILITARY UNITS
BUT WERE ENGAGED IN KILLING ELEMENTS OF THE CIVILIAN
POPULATION. NETO ALSO SAID THAT ANGOLA'S RELATIONS
WITH ZAIRES HAD NOT BEEN GOOD BECAUSE THE LATTER
WAS SUPPORTING "IMPERIALIST MANEUVERS" AGAINST ANGOLA.

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2. NOTICIAS MARCH 15 CARRIED SHORT STRAIGHT FORWARD
BACK PAGE ARTICLE REPORTING ZAIRES REQUEST FOR MILI-
TARY AID FROM THE U.S. ARTICWE SAID THAT MATERIALS
REQUESTED FROM U. S. WOULD BE USED TO REPULSE IN-
VASION OCCURRING IN SHABA PROVINCE.
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